

RICHMONDS WERE DEFEATED.

The Columbia Athletic Club Won by Decisive Scores.

QUARLES, THE PITCHER, WAS ABSENT.

Two Games Were Played at Island Park and the Home Club Lost Both—The Washington Boys Leave for Home.

HE recurring showers of the morning had its effect upon the gathering at Island Park yesterday afternoon. The hour for calling the first game, two (3 P. M.), was undesirable, as at that hour most of the baseball loving community is engaged with spring lamb and mint ices and various other important matters that appeal to the epicurean tastes of the sports.

The Columbia Athletic club appeared on the field first, and in their practice it became apparent that the local club would have its hands full to win any laurels from the visitors.

The home club came on the field a few minutes later and were received with cheers by the assembled crowd. Ed Tate, the veteran pitcher, was called in a Baltimore suit of the year's standing. He has been playing in Lebanon, Pa., and has returned home on account of a very sore arm, which is a damnable ailment from elbow to shoulder.

Quarles, the Richmond pitcher, was sick, and left early in the day for his home in Petersburg. Enright and Luck were the points for the home club and Leach was in the box for the visitors, while H. Wright was behind the bat. Mr. Graves was selected as umpire and performed his thankless duties with good judgment and eminent fairness.

THE START.

Both teams started out well, and the first inning closed without a run for either side. In the second inning Lettwich got to third base on an error, a sacrifice and a low throw, but Morgan struck out and left him there. In his half of this inning King Leach was fouled with a sharp hit to short, which was leveled when thrown to second. E. Wright then sacrificed, advancing H. Wright to second base, King scoring. Fitzmorris was given a base on balls, and the bases were filled. Stone struck out, Leach came up smiling and landed a clean single to left field, bringing in both the Wrights. Ed fielded the springer and retired in quick order and the score stood three to nothing in favor of the Athletic club.

In the third inning the Richmond failed again to score. A Morgan foul ball, which was a foul ball, was hit by the bat, but retired on a strike. Grady hit a high foul fly, which was taken into camp by H. Wright. The Columbia added another run in their half of this inning. Wells and H. Wright were hit by the pitcher. E. Wright hit a grounder to left field, and Wells reached first base. Fostor, who caught H. Fitzmorris third base, Stone sent a sky rocket to deep left field, which Grady tagged in excellent style, and closed the inning.

HIT BY THE PITCHER.

This opened the fourth inning, by sending a fly to Fitzmorris. Grady was hit by the pitcher, Lettwich struck out, Luck going to second on the throw in to the plate. In the fifth inning Lettwich struck out leaving Luck on first base. Luck hit to third base, and was retired by a good, quick throw to Tate. Green was given a base on balls. Sprigman rapped out a safe hit and Green landed on second. Wells hit to left field and Green was tagged out at third. King struck out, leaving Wells and Sprigman on the bases.

The sixth inning opened with only the five men, and the Richmond boys started to even up things in their last inning, but fate was against them, and a goose egg was scored against them.

The Richmond boys put up a good game, but were crippled by the absence of Pitcher Quarles, and were "not in it" after the second inning. There were a number of good plays all around, and the catching of Luck was especially good.

RICHMONDS.	A. B.	R.	H.	E.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Darby, F. C.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Foster, B. D.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Tate, H.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Grady, G.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Leach, E. J.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Enright, P.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Morgan, C. F.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
A. Morgan, C. F.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	17	0	0	10	0	0	0	0

COLUMBIA ATHLETIC CLUB.	A. B.	R.	H.	E.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Green, S. B.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sprigman, S. B.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Wells, S. B.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
King, L. B.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
H. Wright, C. F.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Fitzmorris, L. F.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Stone, R. F.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Leach, P.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	0	0	10	0	0	0	0

SCORE BY INNINGS.

CLUBS.	1	2	3	4	5	TOTAL.
Richmonds	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	3	0	0	0	0	3

THE SECOND GAME.

The second game was not nearly so scientific as the first one, and in fact, from the looseness of the playing and the largeness of the score, reminded one of base-ball as it was in the by-gone years, when the League was yet unborn.

The game was called at 5 o'clock. The home club went to bat first and began the game by hitting Fitzmorris with a line drive that disconnected the Columbia. Foster led off with a good hit to left field, which was easily picked up by Leach. Then Ed Tate struck a ball into the river in the extreme right field, but it fell right into Stone's hands. Grady, who was next at bat, made a clean hit, reaching first. Lettwich and Luck each followed him with a safe hit. This left three men on base, and then Enright, usually a poor batsman, made a tremendous hit, sending the ball over the fence into the river. This was the first time in all three of the men on bases and made a home run for Enright. Morgan was then easily put out, and the inning closed with four runs to the credit of the Richmond.

When the Columbia came to bat the boys seemed determined to show the Richmond that they could do it. The first ball, from the time the first ball was sent over the plate the visitors commenced to hit Darby, whose poor delivery would not have puzzled a scrub nine. One by one they piled up the runs, keeping three men on base all the time, until when Stone was called there were twelve runs to their credit. Several of these runs were made by men forced in home from third in consequence of Darby's wild pitching. Near the close of the inning the captain of the home team very wisely retired Darby, and put Enright in the box. But for this the inning might have been indefinitely prolonged.

IN THE SECOND INNING after the loose playing of the previous inning, the playing was noticeably good. The Richmond boys were easily retired without scoring, a knock opened the inning for the Columbia by sneaking the ball into the river and making a home run, but Green, Sprigman and Wells were retired in one, two, three.

In the third inning the Richmond failed to add to their score, and the Columbia did no better, after getting two men on bases, they were shut out by a beautiful double play between Enright, Grady and Tate.

The fourth inning was marked by beautiful fielding on the part of both clubs, and also by pretty, but useless hitting. Neither club scored in this inning.

ONE MORE RUN.

In the fifth inning the Richmond added one more run to their total. Grady, who was on second, came home on a good hit by

Luck, who a moment afterwards was put out while trying to reach second. In this inning the Columbia put two more runs on bases, but the Richmond cleverly put their side out before the men on bases could get home.

The sixth time the Richmond came to the bat they did very poor batting, retiring one on a well-fielded fly and two others on strikes. The visitors, however, when they picked up the stick and one more run on bases.

In the seventh inning the Richmond made their sixth run on an error of Hiram Wright's, who made a wild throw to third, letting Foster come home. The Columbia then came in and added one more run to their fourteen, but the inning was closed by Enright's clever pitching, two men fanned the air and retiring them.

The game was called at 6:25, and the crowd was very well pleased that it should be, as they had had a surfeit of ball playing.

The game was umpired by Ford, whose conspicuous rank decisions often put both players and spectators out of temper.

The detailed score was as follows:

RICHMOND CLUB.	A. B.	R.	H.	E.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Foster, B. D.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Tate, H.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Grady, G.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Leach, E. J.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Enright, P.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Morgan, C. F.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
A. Morgan, C. F.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Darby, F. C.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	0	0	10	0	0	0	0

COLUMBIA ATHLETIC CLUB.	A. B.	R.	H.	E.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Green, S. B.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sprigman, S. B.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Wells, S. B.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
King, L. B.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
H. Wright, C. F.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Fitzmorris, L. F.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Stone, R. F.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Leach, P.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	0	10	0	0	0	0

BY INNINGS.

CLUBS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	TOTAL.
Richmonds	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	12	0	0	0	0	0	12

A RINAWAY.

A Horse Dashed Up Marshall Street and Scattered Cantaloupes.

An exciting runaway occurred on east Marshall street yesterday morning, commencing at the High School and ending at Cosby's livery stable, on Fifth street. A long-bodied wagon was being loaded with broken benches from the High School, and while Mr. Thacker, of the firm of Blake & Co., carpenters, at whose shop the repairs are being made, was standing high up from the ground on the rear of General Earl's special, a horse attached to the wagon made a bolt and was off like a racer before any effort could be made to arrest him. Mr. Thacker was thrown to the ground, and sustained painful bruises on his leg and hands, and the benches, which had already given away smartly under the weight and pair of rescues, were scattered in disheveled array from the High School to the Second market, two squares away. The consternation wrought upon the passing team reached this crowded spot in past description. A general stampede of hucksters equal to the battle of Bull Run was the result, and flying cantaloupes and vegetables filled the air as they were raised by the scurrying wheels. A mule standing half asleep in the path of the flying steel still wondered if lightning struck anybody but him. The runaway stopped at the stable where he was accustomed to feed, and this eloquently explained his erratic taking of French leave from the High School.

A FISHING EXCURSION.

A Number of Richmond Young Men Will Leave This Morning.

A number of young men from this city will this morning start on a fishing and sailing excursion, which will be extended over the next two weeks. Those who have decided to go are the following: Messrs. Harrison Burwell, Richard Walden, John Branch, Lee Burton, Melvin Branch and Branch Morgan, of the Virginia Military Institute.

The party will start on the morning train for Newport News, where a sailboat will be chartered to go to Ocean View. At Norfolk the party will be joined by Messrs. Dan Merritt, Landrum Merritt and George Goodrich, of that city.

The services of a competent cook have been secured, who will look after the wants of the inner man during the trip.

Justice John's Court.

Henry Wiley and John Mayo were fined \$1 each for allowing their wagons to stand upon the streets unencumbered.

Henry Williams was sent to jail for six months in default of \$300 bail. He was charged with being a suspicious character.

Henry Howard and William Whitlock were fined \$1 each for being drunk.

John Treder, charged with being drunk and abusing his wife, was sent to jail for sixty days.

Severn Robinson (colored) was fined \$5 for assaulting the children of Cammie Spencer, also colored.

Andrew Booker and Frank Scott paid \$1.70 each for assaulting David Brant, a rock. Rosa Gibson was charged with kicking Frank Gibson. The case was dismissed.

Frank Jones, Henry Jones and Neely Carr, three colored boys, were charged with interfering with Edwin Lewis in the conduct of his store. Dismissed.

The case of T. C. White and Joseph Collison was dismissed.

Barnett, charged with disorderly conduct, was held for trial on Tuesday next.

Eliza Cooper, charged with stealing some clothes from Phyllis Jackson. Case continued until August 3d.

Annie Gray was discharged on the charge of stealing a store of the property of James Woodall. The warrant had been issued for Caroline Harding.

Chancery Court. Mr. John A. Carter yesterday qualified as administrator of Claiborne Carter, deceased. The estate is small.

Mr. A. B. Apperson qualified as administrator of H. L. Apperson, deceased. The estate is small.

Judge Leske entered a decree yesterday in the suit brought by the creditors of the Davis Sales Company against the trustees of the concern—Messrs. B. F. Spinnery and Moses Williams. The decree sets forth that the trustees are gentlemen of high character and good standing in Massachusetts. They are at liberty to enter into a bond before August 10th in this court to the amount of \$100,000, or they are ordered to deposit all gross receipts from the shoe-shops in the penitentiary in the State Bank of Virginia. They are also ordered to file a statement of the aggregate income of the shops in this court and to give a true statement in regard to the condition of the business.

Judge Barton, of Fredericksburg, yesterday entered the following decrees: Harper against Street and others; Harper against Williams and others; Richmond Banking and Insurance Company against Marx and others; Puryear, executor, against Tupper and others; Hartford against the Universal Life Insurance Company.

Argument was had in part yesterday in the case of DeVore against Jameson and others. Judge W. W. Crump argued for the plaintiff, and this morning John Hunter, Jr., will be heard in support of his side of the case.

Notary Court. The trial of Leonard Pradury, who was charged with forgery, took place yesterday. About 6 o'clock in the evening the case was given to the jury, who, after having been out only about a minute, returned a verdict of guilty.

Notary Court. Richard A. Jackson, who was recently convicted of felonious assault on a man named Stuart, was sent to the penitentiary yesterday.

EXPERIENCES OF THE TRIP.

The Members of Lee Camp Tell How the Time Was Passed.

HONOR AND GLORY TO THE BLUES.

Foster Will Take Photographs of the Members of the Camp for the Purpose of Forming a Group—Thanks to Lexington.

Lee Camp held their regular monthly meeting last evening, with Commander A. W. Archer in the chair. Captain J. Taylor Stratton recorded. After the transaction of some routine business Colonel Archer called on the comrades who had been in Lexington to give some of their experiences during the trip.

Comrade Foster was the first called upon and stated that he had been waited upon by a committee who requested him to give refreshments to the members during the whole trip, but the railroad company had shut him out.

The camp reached Lexington about 7 A. M., but the refreshment car was soon taken back to East Lexington, from where it was not sent back to Lexington until 4:30 P. M., although the railroad officials in Lexington had promised to leave the car at Lexington in easy reach for the members of the camp. The car remained in Lexington about three or four hours and was then switched back on the main line and with the next train taken back to Richmond.

Comrade Brandor was asked to give an account of himself, inasmuch as very little had been learned about the part which he had taken in the unrelenting ceremonies. Comrade Brandor replied that he was not responsible for reporters who had not given him proper notice. Apparently he alluded to the incident at Lexington, when he, while the procession was leaving the campus at the close of General Earl's speech, was surrounded by fifty ladies and gentlemen almost to death, not being able for some time to make his way through the crowd. He was finally able to get through the gate alongside of the horses of Colonel William F. Smith, Captain Charles H. Epps and others.

A DELIGHTFUL TIME.

Lieutenant Colonel Booker spoke of the delightful time which he had had at Lexington, where he had received so many invitations during the trip, in considering which one of the invitations to accept, he finally had to go hungry, being unable to come to any conclusion in due time.

Colonel Murphy told of his experience at Lynchburg during the return trip, where he had ordered dinner, but after waiting for some time, he was finally able to get through the gate alongside of the horses of Colonel William F. Smith, Captain Charles H. Epps and others.

Colonel William F. Smith stated that he had a message from Miss Lucy Lee Hill, who sent her best regards to every member of the camp. He also stated that he had been in Richmond next fall, when she hoped to be permitted to visit Lee Camp. Colonel Smith then spoke of the manner in which the Richmond Light Infantry Blues had stood by Lee Camp on the trip, and he moved that a resolution be adopted tendering the thanks of Lee Camp to the Blues for their conduct.

Comrade Brandor stated that he had never seen a military body behave better and show a better discipline than the Blues, and their captain was in his estimation the very ideal of an officer.

THANKS TO THE BLUES.

Comrade Thomas moved that a committee be appointed to draft suitable resolutions to thank the Blues for their services.

Comrade Phillips also spoke of the good behavior of the Blues, and related that when the Blues started on their return trip from Natural Bridge on Wednesday evening Captain Cutchins went through the stable where he was to stay, and taking the Blues to the two cars occupied by the Blues. They were made so comfortable as could be expected on a train, and the members of the Blues were asked by their commander to keep quiet and give everybody a chance to rest. This simple request proved to be sufficient, and no complaint was made by the men during the whole trip. Comrade Phillips thought that the Blues deserved all the thanks that Lee Camp could bestow upon them.

Colonel Murphy told Lee Camp that four members of the Blues had engaged a section of the Pullman car opposite his berth on the trip to Lexington. They were jolly, and he was afraid at first that they might make a good deal of noise and keep him awake all night. However, when the time arrived to retire the members of the Blues set a very good example to the other occupants of the car and kept perfectly quiet.

The resolution to appoint a special committee to draft suitable resolutions thanking the Blues for their elegant services was then adopted, and Colonel Archer appointed comrades Thomas, Smith and Brown members of that committee.

THANKS TO LEXINGTON.

On motion of comrade Campbell a resolution was adopted providing for a special committee to draft resolutions thanking the residents of Lexington for the manner in which they received Lee Camp.

Comrades Campbell, Murphy and Redford were appointed members of the committee.

Sergeant Major L. H. Cunningham, of Nashville, who had been a member of the Forty-first Tennessee regiment, was then introduced, and made a short address, which was highly appreciated by all present.

A communication was received from Mr. W. Foster, who invited the members of Lee Camp to have their photographs taken at his studio, for the reason that he was anxious to get up a group of Lee Camp. The invitation was accepted.

Comrade Tanner, of Georgia, was introduced by Colonel Murphy and very cordially received by Lee Camp.

A number of comrades expressed their appreciation of the manner in which they had been received by Colonel Redford at the hotel at Natural Bridge. An invitation had been extended to them to go into camp at Natural Bridge next summer, and from the remarks made by those who were visitors at Natural Bridge it does not seem improbable that next summer will see the rather unusual spectacle of a camp of old veterans in that beautiful section of Virginia.

ENOUGH AND TO SPARE.

The Statement That Provisions Gave Out at Lexington Denied.

LEXINGTON, Va., July 24.—(Special.)—In regard to an article in THE TIMES written from the Natural Bridge on the 22d, stating that provisions had given out here at 3:30 in the afternoon, the following is said: It is to be stated that there was a plenty and some to leave over from every headquarters where people were fed, sandwiches being furnished those leaving when they desired it. Your correspondent also ate dinner at Irvine's Hotel at 5:30 and found plenty. At 3 o'clock, Professor J. J. White, Judge J. K. Edmondson, Hon. H. Lecher, Colonel Patton, and several other prominent men were seen on the street soliciting people to take dinner, which was spread in their front yards. At 6 P. M., in making the rounds of the different headquarters, I found that everybody had been fed and that there was a plenty left over, which was given away to the poor. Rowan County (N. C.) Veterans, Portsmouth Veterans and Roanoke Veterans and private individuals desired THE TIMES man to thank the people of Lexington for their hospitality.

The railroad facilities, some could expect more than was received, with the usual anxiety to get home after what they had come to see was over. The railroad might have done better, but certainly did well under the circumstances, carrying every single person from here without an accident.

If anybody failed to get anything to eat it was their own fault, as at that hour the greatest abundance of food was open free on Main street alone.

T. W. S.

THE BLUES AT LEXINGTON.

Captain Cutchins Says They Had a Glorious Time and a Plenty to Eat.

Captain S. Cutchins, of the Blues, yesterday sent the following to THE TIMES for publication: I have read the article in today's issue of your paper headed "The Blues Have Returned—They Tell of Insufficient Accommodations at Lexington," and as I consider the statements therein contained unfavorable to the good people of Lexington and unworthy of the Blues, had they been made by them, I

must beg the privilege of a few words in reply to that article.

So far as I am aware, and I think I ought to know whereof I speak, not one word of complaint has been spoken by the Blues.

We found the town crowded to overflowing, but a more hospitable, whole-souled people I have never seen. Every house in the place appeared to be thrown open to the hosts of strangers that thronged the streets, and there were very many places where well-cooked, wholesome food had been prepared for all who might come, and if any went away dissatisfied the fault was with them, and not their hospitable entertainers.

From every nook and corner, from every balcony, door and window, from every porch, yard and lawn along the line of march, welcome was waved to us by maidens as fair and beautiful as eyes ever beheld.

The Blues were given up by their reception, and we should indeed be happy to believe that the people of Lexington are as favorably impressed with us as we are with them.

To the people of Lexington, men and woman, we return our sincere thanks for the good camp at Lexington, and for the all too short stay in this lovely city, whose affable and smiling brave men value far more than "creature comforts," we acknowledge our everlasting gratitude.

We know not what occurred with the Second Virginia regiment, but the reception of the Blues was given up by their most sanguine expectations, and we shall hail with delight another opportunity to visit those estimable people.

MEET THE REGIMENT.

The Howitzer and the Stay-at-Homes Will March to the Depot.

The stay-at-home members of the First regiment held a meeting in their armory last evening to take some steps to properly receive the members of the regiment who had come from Lexington last Saturday.

Captain Charles Gasser, of Company D, presided. It was unanimously decided to meet the "detail" of the First regiment on its return to Richmond.

Second Lieutenant T. H. Starke, of the Howitzer, who was present, stated that he had been ordered to meet the regiment which reached this city between 9 and 10 o'clock this evening. His organization would leave the Armory at 8:30, headed by the Blues Band, and stop at the Regimental Armory in order that the members of the regiment and the Howitzer could march to the depot together.

Captain Gasser urged that all the members of the regiment now in the city should meet at the Armory at 8 P. M. to-day to receive the detail. He expressed the hope that they would have a good turnout. He said he would have four good sized companies could be formed, comprising about twice the number of those who had gone into camp. He requested all present to notify the absentees of the action taken and induce them to participate in the march to the depot.

It was decided that the stay-at-homes should wear fatigue uniforms and leggings.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lyons left on a summer trip yesterday afternoon.

Mr. J. W. Allen is at the Rockbridge Alum Springs during his vacation.

Work is progressing rather slowly on the corner Clark's office of Henrico.

The recent heavy rains have put north Third street in a very bad condition.

The last Broad-street car now leaves Allemaire and Cherry streets at 11:05 P. M.

Fine-street Baptist church has suspended night services until the 1st of September.

Mr. Harry Meyer, of New York, is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Barney Wertheim.

The repainting of the exterior of Fine-street Baptist church has been completed.

Mr. Philip V. Coghill, Commonwealth's attorney of Chesterfield county, is in the city.

Mr. James Lamb, secretary of the Bar Association, leaves to-day for the White Sulphur.

Mr. William D. Meyer, of Julius Meyer & Sons, leaves the city to-day for a visit to Bedford Springs, Pa.

The Virginia Steamboat Company announces another cheap and attractive trip to Norfolk on the Ariel to-night.

Mrs. W. S. Johns, of Barton Heights, has returned from an extended sojourn among various Northern resorts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. De Saussure will leave to-morrow for the White.

Mr. and Mrs. Wynndham R. Meredith leave to-day for the White Sulphur.

The very old building at No. 112 East Broad street is being torn down and larger and better ones will be erected on the site.